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FOR US TEXTILE NEGOTIATING TEAM

FOLLOWING REPEAT BRUSSELS 3885 ACTIONSECSTATE INFO GENEVA TOKYO  
FEB 28

QUOTE LIMITED OFFICIAL USE BRUSSELS 03885

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E.O.11652:N/A

TAGS: ETRD, EEC

SUBJECT: US-EC TEXTILE CONSULTATIONS

REFS: TRAN VAN THINH/SMITH TELCON AND ST.JOHN/MCCARTHY  
TELCON

1. FOLLOWING CONVERSATION IN REFTEL B, MISSION  
CONTACTED TRAN VAN THINH TO CONFIRM UNDERSTANDING  
ON POSSIBLE DATES FOR BILATERAL AND TRILATERAL TEXTILE  
MEETINGS. TRAN VAN THINH INDICATED THAT HE COULD NOT  
TRAVEL PRIOR TO WEEKEND OF MARCH 12 AND THEREFORE WOULD  
NOT BE ABLE TO MEET U.S. SIDE PRIOR TO DATES ALREADY  
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DISCUSSED WITH SMITH. IF U.S. SIDE REMAINS AGREEABLE,  
TRAN WOULD LIKE TO HAVE A BILATERAL SESSION IN SAN  
FRANCISCO ON MARCH 13 FOLLOWED BY A TRILATERAL, TO  
INCLUDE JAPAN, ON MARCH 14 AND, IF NECESSARY MARCH 15.

2. TRAN VAN THINH UNDERSTANDS THAT SMITH HAS AGREED TO  
MAKE RESERVATIONS FOR EC TEAM IN APPROPRIATE HOTEL.

EC SIDE WILL CONSIST OF TRAN VAN THINH, ABATE, KLARIC  
AND POSSIBLY BECK. TRAN VAN THINH WOULD APPRECIATE  
KNOWING NAME OF HOTEL WHEN AVAILABLE. HE WOULD PLAN  
TO ARRIVE IN SAN FRANCISCO ON MARCH 11. HINTON.  
UNQUOTE CHRISTOPHER

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